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PASS TREASURY AND FEDERAL RESERVE

E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: EFIN, SZ

SUBJ: SWISS FOREIGN- EXCHANGE AND GOLD DEVELOPMENTS

MARCH 12 ZURICH FOREIGN- EXCHANGE MARKET OPENED
CAUTIOUSLY WITH SPOT DOLLARS QUOTED AT SF 3.18/3.185.
IN EARLY MORNING TRADING DOLLAR WEAKENED SLIGHTLY TO
SF 3.17/3.18 BUT STRENGTHENED TO CLOSE AT SF 3.215/
3.225. TRADING WAS VERY LOW, ON A PAR WITH LAST WEEK.
DISCOUNTS ON FORWARD DOLLAR CONTRACTS WERE LITTLE
CHANGED FROM LAST THURSDAY (MARCH 8, SEE BERN 0955).
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GOLD PRICES OPENED AT \$81.50/83.00 AND CLOSED AT
\$81.00/82.50.

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